



Cabane Chatter



Greetings and Happy New Year,

Welcome to the start of our 2019 year. There was no official travel for La Presidente Nationale in December. That doesn't mean that I had time to relax with all of the excitement of the holidays. Now that the holidays have passed for another year it's time to think about what we will be doing in the next few months of 2019.

Membership is always our most important program. Currently we are over the half way mark to 100%. Your Sous Presidents are working hard to keep membership moving. As of December 27th Janet Walsh is in the lead with 56.25% followed closely by Penny Haigler, Sue Morgan and Laura Blue. Please do your part in getting your Locale membership into Cabane Nationale.

As I mentioned in my first Chatter article Box Car is my project for this year. I will be promoting this project in my travels and have decided to present a special award to the Locale or Dame that has the highest donation for the year. The award will be presented at Rendezvous Nationale in Myrtle Beach.

I will be starting my official visits this month. My first visit in January will be to Florida's Mid-Winter in Melbourne, Florida followed by my next visit to Minnesota for their Mid-Winter Conference.

I am so looking forward to visiting with my LaFemme family over the coming months. Again a Happy and Safe New Year to you and your families!

Yours in service,
Cheryl Jamnick
Presidente Nationale



MEET YOUR OFFICER



Laura J. Blue was born in Rochester, New York and at the age of 10, moved to Anoka, Minnesota. Currently and for the past 33 years, she has resided in Coon Rapids, Minnesota. She retired last December as Kitchen Manager at her local American Legion club. She has worked in the food service business for the last 30 plus years. She now works as a Income Tax preparer, alongside her father, in their family owned business, for the past 10 years.

Her eligibility in the 40&8 Femmes, is through her longtime 40&8 Father, William Kies. He has since passed on to the Voiture Everlasting.

Laura is a member of Cabane 390, Anoka County, Minnesota. She also has an Honorary Life Membership in the 40&8. She has served her Cabane Locale in many chairmanships and is currently serving her 2nd year as Cabane Locale Presidente. In Grande De Minnesota, she is currently serving as La Avocat. She has served as chairman of many committees as well as Grande Presidente. Laura is currently serving on the Nationale level, her 2nd term as La Sous Presidente Nationale. She has also held the office of Drapeau Nationale. Laura has attended Memorial Day services at Arlington National Cemetery, for the past 3 years, as well attending Nationale Convention for the past 4 years.

Laura has been very happily married to her husband Dennis, for the last 32 years. They have raised his daughter, Keri and have had 2 children together, Elizabeth and David. They are now helping to raise their 3 year old Grandson, Owen. He is the apple of Grandmas eye!

In closing, Laura hopes for many more years of growing and service to the 40&8 La Femmes.

LAURA BLUE
Sous Presidente Nationale, Area 2
2018-2019

PRESIDENTE TRAVEL

<u>January 4-5, 2019</u>	<u>FLORIDA MID WINTER</u>	<u>MELBORNE, FL</u>
<u>FEBR 1-3, 2019</u>	<u>MINNESOTA MID WINTER</u>	<u>FOREST LAKE , MN</u>
<u>FEBR 20-24, 2019</u>	<u>CAJUN WRECK</u>	<u>LAFAYETTE, LA</u>
<u>MARCH 15-16. 2019</u>	<u>PRESIDENTE HOMECOMING</u>	<u>LANSING, MI</u>
<u>APRIL 4-6, 2019</u>	<u>CHEF'S HOMECOMING</u>	<u>CLEVELAND, TN</u>
<u>APRIL 25-28,2019</u>	<u>SOUTHLAND DIXIE</u>	<u>JACKSONVILLE , FL</u>
<u>MAY 16-19, 2019</u>	<u>GATOR WRECK</u>	<u>GOOSE CREEK, SC</u>
<u>JULY 12-14, 2019</u>	<u>NEW YORK GRANDE</u>	<u>WATERTOWN, NY</u>
<u>JULY 19-20-2019</u>	<u>INDIANA GRANDE</u>	<u>FT WAYNE, IN</u>
<u>JULY 18-21, 2019</u>	<u>NORTH CAROLINA GRANDE (PENNY)</u>	<u>GREENSBORO, NC</u>
<u>JULY 26-28, 2019</u>	<u>OREGON GRANDE</u>	<u>SALEM, OR</u>
<u>AUGUST 1 -4, 2019</u>	<u>WISCONSIN GRANDE</u>	<u>ANTIGO, WI</u>
<u>AUGUST 9-10. 2019</u>	<u>MICHIGAN GRANDE</u>	<u>LANSING, MI</u>



How Are We Doing?

Presidente's Program:

Box Car

Goal: \$2,000.00 YTD:\$225.80

Other Programs:

Pennies for POW/MIA:

Goal: \$3,000.00 YTD: \$501.63

Nickels for Nurses:

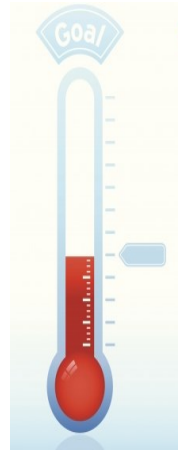
Goal: \$3,000.00 YTD: \$150.00

Child Welfare:

Goal \$3,000.00 YTD \$ 100.00

Youth Sports:

Goal \$3,000.00 YTD \$100.00



WAYS AND MEANS 2019 YTD \$

TOGETHER WE CAN

Correspondante's Corner!!!

Membership posts every Thursday afternoon. Watch the website on your numbers, and work to get 100%. Please put membership in alphabetical Order on form. In all your correspondence please add your Cabane number too.

Website also is loaded with print forms, and Trophy and Awards forms. La Presidente homecoming form is On website under HOME.

New items to Emblem Sales.

I'M Cutting back on postage January 2019, so the January mailing is on the website under print forms. make sure your Cabanes in your states get the information. Please make copies of the forms.

For the good of La Societe

Carol Austin,

Correspondante Nationale

La Societe de Femme

Founder's Club 2019

Receive a special beret shaped Founder's Club pin free with your

Paid membership or donation .

ONLY \$5.00

La Societe de Femme was formed on September 19, 1963, by founders Edith Schwindler, Edna Kirkpatrick, Grace Bunch, and Helen Jolliff. The Founders Club was started to honor those founders of La Societe de Femme. The dues and donations received from Founders Club Members are used by Cabane Nationale for Web-site, Internet, Email and IT services from Voiture Nationale and to maintain, repair, upgrade and, when necessary, to replace equipment used at our Nationale Headquarters.

FOUNDERS CLUB

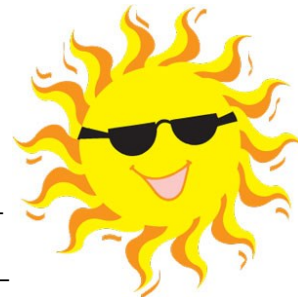
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NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CABANE# _____ or VOITURE# _____

EMAIL: _____ DONATION \$ _____



LETTERS OF INTENT FOR NATIONALE ELECTED OFFICES

NOTE

As amended at Rendezvous Nationale 2015, Each Grande or State can have two (2) resolutions of endorsement as long as they are for two (2) different offices. You do not have to have a Grande to run for Nationale office. A Cabane Locale can submit a Resolution of Endorsement where no Grande exists.

Rendezvous Nationale is fast approaching and we need you to consider running for one of the elected Nationale Officers positions. We will need to elect:

(1) La Presidente, (4) La Sous Presidentes, (1) Commissaire Intendante, (2) Garde de la Porte, (1) Historian, (1) Aumonier, (2) Drapeau.

We currently have two letters of intent; two for La Presidente , none for Commissaire Intendante, none for Drapeau, none for Garde de la Porte and none for aumonier.

Please consider running for one of these vital offices. Get those letters of intent in as soon as possible and then get your resolution done and signed by your Locale and Grande. Resolutions of Endorsements must be received no later than August 24, 2019.